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RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER		Docket No.: ABB10010P0114US	
Serial No.:	10/602,275	Filing Date:	June 24, 2003
Group Art Unit:	1624	Examiner:	
Applicant(s):	Riechers, et al.		
Invention:	Novel Carboxylic Acid Derivatives, Their Preparation and Use		

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Transmitted herewith is a response in the above-identified application.

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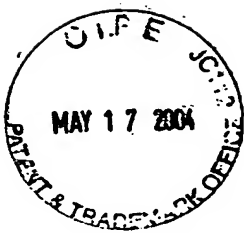
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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Please amend the application as follows:

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